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How A Mining Agent Got Rich.

Mark Twain, in a letter to the Chicago Tribune, from Nevada, relates the following:

"An acquaintance of mine shook hands with me in such a very patronizing manner yesterday that I am moved to make him the text of a paragraph that will serve to illustrate what one may term a 'state of things.' When I first knew this man he hadn't a cent. He did not put on airs then. Now he is a superintendent of one of the great silver mines, and has grown rich. You may not believe that a superintendent can grow absolutely rich in four years on a salary of from ten to twenty thousand dollars a year, but such is really the case. Ordinary superintendents are content to receive a present of a dollar or so for each ton of ore they sell to a millman, but my man's ambition soared higher than that. He took lumber belonging to the great company that employed him, and built a little mill of his own with it. He built that mill below the company's mill, too, which was wise. Then he took other of the company's lumber, and built a string of sluice boxes that reached clear from the company's mill to his own. After that he worked the company's rock in the company's mill and got sixteen dollars a ton out of it—and turned the money over to company—which didn't declare a dividend. Then he took the trailings from that same rock, carried them through his sluices to his little private mill, worked them over again and out of every ton he got thirty dollars! Which money was his own, of course, and he never gave any of it to the company. Now you can understand how a man can get rich in four years, on twelve thousand dollars a year, when the company furnishes him a dwelling house and horses and carriages free."

Tact—Love swings on little hinges.

It keeps an active little servant to do a good deal of its fine work. The name of the little servant is tact. Tact is minute-footed and quick-fingered; tact sees without looking; tact has always a good deal of small change on hand; tact carries no heavy weapons, but can do wonders with a sling and a stone; tact never runs its head against a stone wall; tact always spies a scynamore tree up which to climb when things are becoming crowded and unmanageable on the level ground; tact has a cunning way of availing itself of a word, or a smile, or a gracious wave of the hand; tact carries a bunch of curiously fashioned keys which can turn all sorts of locks; tact plants its monosyllabic wisely, for being a monosyllabic itself, it arranges its own order with all the familiarity of friendship; tact—sly, versatile, diving, running, flying tact—governs the great world, yet touches the big baby under the impression that it has not been touched at all.

JOSH BILLINGS.—It strains a man's philosophy the wist kind to laugh when he gets beat.

Aw! ye us complain of the shortness of life, yet we awl waste more time than we use.

Don't mistake arrogance for wisdom; munny people hev thought they wuz wize when they wuz only windy.

The principal difference between a luxury and a necessary is in the price.

Whenever a soul is in grief, it is taking wrong, and when it is in smiles it is taking wing.

"Give the devil his due," but be careful there ain't much due him.

After a man has rode fast oim, he never wants to go slow again.

Every sorrow has its twin joy; the fun of scratching almost pays for having the itch.

It won't do to stir up a man when he is thinking enny more than it will a pan of milk when the cream is rising.

It is easy enough to raise the devil, but he's a hard crop to reap.

We are told that a contented man is happy, and we might have been told at the same time that a mud turtle could fly if he had wings.

OLDEST TREES IN THE WORLD.—The cypress of Somma in Lombardy, Italy, is perhaps the oldest tree on record. It was known to be in existence in the time of Julius Caesar, 42 years before Christ, and is, therefore, more than 1900 years old. It is 106 feet in height, and 20 feet in circumference at one foot from the ground. Napoleon when laying down the plan for his great road over the Simplon, a port on one of the Alps, diverged from a straight line to avoid injuring this tree. The honor of superiority or antiquity, however, is claimed by some in behalf of the immense and venerable tree in Calaveras county, California, which is supposed, from the number of concentric circles in the trunk, to be 2500 years old.

Have you seen Prangs Chromo? "Old Oaken Bucket," "Falconer and Bride," at H. Livingston & Sons.

"Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative" took the First Premium over all competitors at the New Hampshire State Fair. It stands confessedly without a rival throughout the country, and is driving all other preparations from the market.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

CLOTHING STORE

—ON—

LAKE STREET.

MORTON & PERCY!

IN ST. ALBANS.

Having bought of G. W. Blodgett his new and entire stock of

CLOTHING,

FURNISHING

GOODS,

HATS

AND

CAPS,

BOOTS

AND

SHOES

Feel satisfied in saying to the public that they can sell goods as low as can be bought in Franklin County. All we ask is to have customers come in, and satisfy themselves, before purchasing elsewhere. We have, and are receiving, all the new styles from market, consisting of

READY MADE CLOTHING,

FURNISHING

GOODS,

LINEN

AND

PAPER

COLLARS

Of endless varieties, and a large and well selected stock of

Boots and Shoes, Rubber Coats

and Boots,

Which we will sell low for cash. We have the largest assortment of

HATS AND CAPS

To be found in Northern Vermont. If you don't believe it, call and see for yourselves. Our Clothing is New and Desirable, consisting of

SPRING

OVER

SACKS,

TRICOT

AND

FANCY

CASSIMERE

PANTS

AND

VESTS,

LINEN

PANTS,

AND

COATS,

AND

BUTTONS.

Boys' and Youths' Clothing.

We have a few Winter Over Coats left, that we will sell at a big discount from cost, for cash. Remember the place, Two doors West of the American House, Lake Street.

MORTON & PERCY.

Formerly with Wm. N. Smith & Co.

Elihu H. Huntington.

[SUCCESSOR TO A. H. MUNYAN.]

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AMERICAN WATCHES.

Howard, Tremont, Milrose, and all the different grades of Waltham, National, and United States Co's Watches. A large assortment of Gold and Silver American Cases, of the best styles. Also,

Gold and Silver Swiss Watches.

Ladies' Gold Hunting Watches, American and Swiss. The latest and best patterns of Gold, Plated and Silver Chains, Fine Gold and Plated Jewelry of all descriptions. A splendid assortment of Ladies'

FINE GOLD SETS,

Etruscan, Coral, Garnet, &c., &c. Gentlemen's Fine Masonic Pins and Rings. Diamond, Emerald, Ruby, Amethyst, Pearl and Garnet Finger Rings, 18 Kt. Plain Rings, Gold Bracelets, Silver

Plated Spoons and Forks.

Extra and Treble Plate. Tea sets, Castors, Cake Baskets, Vases, &c., &c. Coin Silver Spoons, Thimbles, &c. A very large stock of Gold and Steel Spectacles, every pair sold warranted to suit. Pocket

Knives, Shears and Scissors of the 1st quality.

Fishing Tackle.

I shall receive from day to day new styles of Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, which I will sell at the lowest market rates.

Watch repairing and engraving done promptly.

HAT AND CAP STORE,

SOUTH MAIN STREET

The undersigned keeps constantly on hand a full supply of

HATS, CAPS, FURS,

GLOVES AND MITTENS,

UMBRELLAS,

GENTS' COLLARS.

And an assortment of Gent's Furnishing goods in his line of trade equal to any in style and excellence of goods, and at reasonable prices. He has every thing in the hat line, from common straw to the last style of silk hat, and can suit all.

G. B. SMITH.

St. Albans, Vt. May 12, 1868.

FOR SALE.—A pleasantly located residence in St. Albans, with one or two acres of land, as may be desired. Twelve good rooms, cellars, cistern, excellent well of water, house and barn nearly new. Apple, pear, plum, and cherry trees, partly in bearing, of best varieties. Also grape vines, etc. The cheapest place in town at the price asked. Terms very easy. For further particulars, enquire at the Transcript Office.

TRICOT Pants and Vest at

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

SOMETHING

—ON—

LAKE STREET.

NEAT AND NEW!

IN ST. ALBANS.

The Drug Store on Lake Street.

—KEPT BY—

GREENE & NICHOLS.

The undersigned having nicely fitted up the store in the American House Block, on Lake St., and stocked it with a choice assortment of

DRUGS AND MEDICINES!

Respectfully solicit a share of the patronage of this community, feeling sure that they can give satisfaction in goods and prices. Our stock consists of

DRUGS,

CHEMICALS,

PATENT

MEDICINES,

PERFUMERY, TOILET

ARTICLES,

DYES, &c.

OUR STOCK OF

PATENT MEDICINES,

Is complete, consisting in all the approved varieties, and our general stock includes all goods usually kept in a store of this kind. Headquarters for the

A. B. A. BITTERS.

One of the best Spring Medicines in the market. Physicians orders solicited, and carefully and promptly filled. In quality and price we guarantee to satisfy all who favor us with their patronage.

Store open on Sundays & noon, for supplying necessary medicines.

DR. NICHOLS

Is a practicing Physician in regular standing, and will attend to all professional calls. Remember the place, under the American House, Lake Street, St. Albans.

GREENE & NICHOLS.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the St. Albans Bank, a corporation, duly incorporated by the Legislature of the State of Vermont, located and doing business at St. Albans in the county of Franklin, has made application to me, requesting me to issue a proclamation designating some day for the termination of the existence of said corporation.

And whereas, it has been made to appear to me that two-thirds of the legal votes of the stockholders of said corporation were given in favor of said application.

Now, therefore, I, Paul Dillingham, Governor of the State of Vermont, in conformity with said application, and the provisions of section eighty-six and eighty-seven of chapter eighty-nine of the General Statutes of Vermont, do hereby issue my proclamation, and declare that on the twenty-fifth day of March, A. D. 1869, the said corporation shall cease to exist as fully and with the same effect as if said charter expired by the limitation thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and caused the seal of the State to be hereunto affixed, in Executive Chambers at Waterbury, this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1867, and of the independence of the United States the 91st.

PAUL DILLINGHAM.

By the Governor,

WM. P. DILLINGHAM.

Secy of Civil and Military Affairs.

RUBBER Coats, all kinds, at

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

IMPORTANT TO STOCK GROWERS.

Blood, Beauty, Speed, Kindness and Endurance.

Those who desire to raise first-class stock, and all lovers of good horses, are informed that the Hambletonian trotting stallion, **YOUNG DEXTER:**

will stand for a limited number of mares the ensuing season, at the Homestead Stock Farm, Greenwich, Washington County, N. Y.; season to commence on the 1st of May and to end on the 1st day of September. Young Dexter was bred at Chester, Orange County, N. Y., is four years old, by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, stands nearly 16 hands high, and is one of the best of the get of celebrated sire, Young Dexter is a half brother to Dexter, George Wilkes, Bruno, Brunette—all to Mountain Boy—and other well known horses. Very evidently, from his size, shape, etc., Young Dexter will not only bring gentle, fine and speedy stock, but also handsome carriage and family horses as well. It is manifestly for the benefit of stock growers that they obtain not only the best and most popular blood in the country, but also that which commands the highest prices in market, and it requires no more labor or care to raise a good colt than an inferior one. It was with the view to improve the stock of horses in Northern New York, Vermont and New Hampshire, etc., that Young Dexter was purchased by its present owner, Mr. H. C. Page, Editor of the People's Journal—the object being to benefit farmers and stock growers who are willing to undergo the care and expense necessary to the raising of good horses.

For further particulars, terms, etc., address Homestead Stock Farm, Greenwich, Washington County, N. Y.

E. G. STRATTON.

Superintendent.

FOR SPRING STYLES OF HATS AND CAPS,

call on

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

FOR SPRING STYLES OF PANTS AND VEST

call at

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WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

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100 full course

Commercial Scholarships.

Good for life, throughout the "International Business College Association," to be issued at

Chamberlin's Business College

Burlington, Vt., before May 15, 1868.

These Scholarships will be sold at the regular price, \$50, and so issued as to secure to the purchaser all the privileges and advantages of the Scholarship heretofore issued, and to be transferable to a second party any time within three years after the holder thereof shall have been in attendance at the College for three months. This plan will secure to

100 YOUNG MEN

A thorough Business Education at their own price,

as the person making the transfer is entitled to whatever price he may agree upon with his purchaser. This

Unparalleled Opportunity

will be withdrawn on the sale of 100 Scholarships, the limit of time not to exceed the above date.

The Three Months plan recently advertised is discontinued.

As this offer will be eagerly seized, and an effort made to close the sale of Scholarships at the earliest possible date, and a similar offer not again made, those desiring to secure it need not be prompt.

For further particulars call on or address

J. S. CHAMBERLIN, Proprietor,

163-ly Burlington, Vt.

RESOLUTION.—The copartnership heretofore existing under the name of Wyman & Huntington is by mutual consent this day dissolved. All accounts with said firm must be settled immediately. Either partner is authorized to receipt for the same.

CHARLES WYMAN,

E. H. HUNTINGTON.

St. Albans, Feb. 10th, 1868.

The watch and jewelry business in all its branches will be continued, with promptness, and in a workmanlike manner as heretofore, by

CHARLES WYMAN.

206-ly

LIQUID STAR DYE COLORS.

Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

In St. Albans by LEONARD, BRAINERD & CO., Ac. HENRY & CO., Waterbury, Vt., Sole Agents.

February 7th, 1868. [202-2m]

Universal Neuralgia

It is an unfailing remedy in all cases of Neuralgia Facialis, often effecting a permanent cure in less than twenty-four hours, from the use of no more than two or three pills. No other form of Neuralgia or Nervous Disease has failed to yield to this

WONDERFUL REMEDIAL AGENT.

Even in the severest cases of Chronic Neuralgia and general nervous derangements, of many years standing—affecting the entire system, its use for a few days, or a few weeks at the utmost, always affords the

MOST ASTONISHING RELIEF.

And very rarely fails to produce a complete and permanent cure. It contains no drugs or other materials in the slightest degree injurious, even to the most delicate system, and can always be used with

PERFECT SAFETY.

It has long been in constant use by many of our most eminent Physicians, who give it their unanimous and unqualified approval. Sent by mail on receipt of price, and postage.

One package, \$1.00. Postage 6 cents.

Six packages, 5.00. " 27 "

Twelve packages, 9.00. " 48 "

It is sold by all wholesale and retail druggists, in drugs and medicines throughout the United States, by T. W. B. CO., Sole Proprietors, 120 to 157 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass., 189-4m.

POLAND'S PLANTAIN OINTMENT.

This is the best article yet put before the public for all kinds of Sores and Eruptions of the Skin, as Salt Rheum, Old Sores, Broken Breasts, Stings of Insects, &c., &c. Vegetable Poisonings, &c.

Fully explaining Dr. Poland's reputation as an originator of valuable remedies. It is the

GREAT PANACEA!

For burns, scalds, frost bitten parts, chapped lips and hands, cracks in the feet, (with which old people are troubled,) styes upon the eyelids, and in fact everything to which a salve is applicable. Price, 25 cents. Manufactured under the supervision of the originator.

DR. J. W. POLAND,

And for sale by all Wholesale and Retail Druggists, and at Country Stores, Geo. C. Goodwin & Co., and East Iron, & Bird, Boston, General Agents.

C. H. POLAND,

Proprietor, Also Agent for Medicines manufactured by Dr. J. W. Poland, viz: Cedar Plaster, Diarrhea Elixir, Indian Pile Remedy, Catarrh Pills, &c.

188-ly

IMPORTANT TO SOLDIERS

AND

THEIR WIDOWS.

Those interested are hereby notified that I am agent to transact all business pertaining to pensions, bounties and back pay. Claims of the above nature can be presented, and their allowances obtained, by applying to

WM. BRIDGES.

St. Albans, May 10th, 1866.

ALL READY

—THE—

NEW STEAM MILL!

OF—

Bingham & Lincoln,

Near the Freight Depot, St. Albans, Vt.

Is now ready to grind corn meal, fine or coarse, and all kinds of grain for stock. This Mill was built by **Hobbs & Blanchard**, of Boston, of the best French Burr, is complete in every respect, and is capable of grinding twenty-five bushels per hour. Being dependent on neither wind or floods for power, we can do all work of this kind without hindrance to our customers. We shall be prepared to furnish corn in the kernel, or ground, and at all times fresh and as cheap as elsewhere. We are also ready to receive orders for

Sash, Blinds and Doors,

Mouldings and House Finishings of every description, of good material and workmanship at any other shop in the State.

Such as

Planing,

Matching,

Turning,

Scroll Sawing,